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Texans moving to defund SBC entities

DALLAS (Special) — A pair of Baptist General Convention of Texas (BGCT) committees have recommended that Texas Baptists defund the six Southern Baptist Convention (SBC) seminaries as well as two other SBC entities.

Theological education study committee chairman Bob Campbell, pastor of Westbury Church, Houston, said the study committee has proposed that of the \$5.3 million currently sent to the SBC seminaries, a maximum of \$1 million be set aside to fund those seminaries next year based on

the number of Texas Baptist students attend-

ing each seminary.
The committee will further recommend that the remaining \$4.3 million — which actually could be less if some churches respond by changing their giving options — be distributed in student grants and special project funds to:

 Truett Seminary at Baylor University in

 Logsdon School of Theology at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

 Hispanic Baptist Theological School in San Antonio.

The net effect of the changes would be a virtual defunding of five of the six SBC schools, which currently receive anywhere from \$443,000 to \$1.5 million annually from the BGCT.

In addition, the BGCT administrative committee unanimously approved a recommendation that the SBC Executive

Committee and the Ethics and Religious Liberty Committee (ERLC) allocations be drastically reduced in 2001.

If adopted, funding for the Executive Committee would be reduced to \$10,000

villiam Crews, aent or Gate Seminary in Mill Valley, Calif., and chairman of the SBC's Council of Seminary Presidents (CSP), said in a statement issued on behalf of CSP: "Evidently, the BGCT leadership is completely uninterested in and uncommitted to the support of theological education for anyone other than Texans — and BGCT Texans at that.

"This is not an alteration of the Cooperative Program; it is a repudiation of the Cooperative Program," Crews wrote. "Its underlying motive is hostility, and its effect is directed at thousands of faithful young ministers of the Gospel studying at our seminaries.

"This is a sad day for all Southern Baptists," he added, "and a great tragedy for the BGCT."

Calling the Texas committee's recommendation a cold and calculated move designed to sever the historic ties between the Baptists of Texas and the SBC, R. Albert Mohler Jr., president of Southern Seminary in Louisville, Ky., said the proposal would "roll back over a century and a half of cooperation."

"We are deeply saddened by the BGCT proposal," Mohler said in a prepared statement released Sept. 11. "It is nothing less use of Cooperative Program funds for

undergraduate colleges at the seminaries.

• lack of diversity on the seminary trustee boards.

 a pattern of trustees interfering with the routine work of faculty and staff.

 trustees creating political litmus tests for faculty hiring.

lack of diversity in chapel speakers. Also, the committee found "a great deal of mistreatment of people" by seminary administrators and trustees, added Michael Chancellor, vice chairman of the

study committee. "People in the church I serve hold certain expectations about Christian conduct" that have not been exemplified at the SBC seminaries, he said. "It's not about beliefs. It's about the way as Christians we treat other people.

Requiring faculty affirmation of the 1998 and 2000 revisions to the Baptist Faith & Message (BFM) presents serious problems for faculty at all six SBC seminaries, Campbell said.

He cited a comment by New Orleans Seminary President Kelley that no faculty member would be allowed to question the BFM anywhere at anytime, not even in private conversation at an offcampus party.

When contacted by The Baptist Record, seminary spokesperson Shannon Baker said Kelley strongly denied making that statement.

Four of the SBC seminary presidents also told the committee they believe the 1963 version of the Baptist Faith

& Message is a "neo-orthodox document," Campbell reported. We had never heard that before. This is

an alarming description," he said. The 1963 Baptist Faith & Message committee was comprised of the presidents of the state Baptist conventions, with Southern Baptist statesman Herschel Hobbs of Oklahoma as chairman.

Further, the seminary presidents told the Texas committee that Hobbs was "duped" by neo-orthodox individuals who heavily influenced the 1963 document, Campbell said.

Another Texas Baptist study committee is looking at mission-sending agencies, includ-ing the SBC's International Mission Board and North American Mission Board as well as the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship.

Sources: The Baptist Standard, newsjournal of BGCT; Baptist Press; Associated Baptist Press; local reports; BGCT website.

Retiring West honored



Dan West (second from left), camp manager of Central Hills Retreat near Kosciusko for 21 years, was honored August 24 with a retirement dinner at the retreat which serves as Mississippi Baptist's Royal Ambassador campground. Congratulating West on his retirement were (from left) Barri A. Shirley, associate executive director for business services at the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board (MBCB); West's wife Rachel; MBCB executive director-treasurer Jim Futral; MBCB Men's Ministry director Jim Didlake; and Barry Corbett, pastor of First Church, Kosciusko, where the Wests are members. (Photo by Tim Nicholas)

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than a rejection of the Cooperative Program. Driven by anger at the SBC, the leaders of the BGCT now show their true agenda."

In addition to Golden Gate and Southern seminaries, the SBC operates four other seminaries:

New Orleans Seminary in New Orleans, headed by Charles S. "Chuck"

 Midwestern Seminary, headed by interim president Michael Whitehead.

Southeastern Seminary in Wake Forest, N.C., headed by Paige Patterson, immediate past president of the SBC.

• Southwestern Seminary in Ft. Worth, headed by Kenneth Hemphill.

Campbell said the theological education committee's report highlights issues such as:

requiring faculty members to sign the revised Baptist Faith & Message statement.
 a high rate of turnover in faculty in several of the seminaries.

· a high percentage of faculty from non-Southern Baptist backgrounds.

from \$706,000. A total of \$345,000 to ERLC would be dropped completely.

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Giving prayer the respect it deserves

In response to the Sept. 7 editorial entitled The New Revolutionaries, which dealt with the grass roots movement to pray before football games, a thoughtful reader wrote:

You've written an editorial that manages to cover three things I love — prayer, our country, and football. I have no comment right now on the view of folks like (Mississippi ACLU director) David Ingebretsen or the New York Times.

However, on those who are opting to pray

However, on those who are opting to pray before football games, I do have comments. You may read them at your own risk.

Where are the members of these prayer groups when we need someone to lead in prayer during Sunday School or worship services? All too often they are silent, and the few who are willing are called on more than they should be or probably want to be

or probably want to be.

Are these football prayer participants participating in their church's prayer ministry? My church suffers from lack of people willing to devote a set time each week to pray for the needs/people of the church.

H. also pray in private while at home or work, or is this group prayer effort the extent of their time with God until the next kickoff? Of course, there is no way to know an accurate answer to that. I suspect many, if not most, do spend private

time in prayer.

their lives.

It is a sad commentary that our U.S. Supreme Court has decided this type of prayer is illegal — and there was not genuine horror and outrage expressed from all sectors of our society.

Once again, American tolerance doesn't

Once again, American tolerance doesn't apply to an activity centered around Jesus Christ, but somehow it strikes me that the battle has become more important than the war—"We'll show you. We're going to pray before the game and you better not try to stop us!"

I hope the folks praying in these situations are more like Daniel who prayed in spite of the King's orders (Dan. 6), and not like the

orgiveness is never as easy

After horrific crimes com-

mitted against us or those we

love, it is even more difficult.

For some people, it is a long struggle that will last the rest of

believers, forgiveness should

be an integral part of who we

are in Christ, so without mini-

mizing the very real struggle

that we have as humans with

forgiveness, let us look at bibli-

cal forgiveness and see what it is that we are called sometimes

often forgiven the very people who are murdering them. Jesus prayed as the soldiers crucified

him, "Father, forgive them" (Luke 23:34). Stephen, as the stones battered his body into lifelessness, pleaded, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them"

not hold this sin against them"

cheap; in other words, forgive-

ness is costly. After intense

stress, betrayal, beatings, sleep deprivation, scourging, multiple humiliations, abandonment

by both friends and family, and

crucifixion, Jesus died. He died

that we might be forgiven. The forgiveness Jesus offers cost him the highest price.

Biblical forgiveness is not

Christ and his martyrs have

to struggle toward.

(Acts 7:60).

We cannot deny that, as

Pharisee who prayed for public reward (Matt. 6:5).

For those who are genuinely turning to God and offering a heartfelt prayer in a public place, more power to them. For the rest of the football prayer participants, I say don't do us any more religious favors.

Ouch! The truth hurts, doesn't it? It's hard to argue with the point that Christians can get really fired up about things like a football game prayer once a week, while the prayer ministries in almost every Baptist church in Mississippi are pleading for participants.

are pleading for participants.
Indeed, where are these people in their churches?

Such behavior reminds one of the manner in which many Christians have responded over the years to the non-existent Madalyn Murray O'Hair petition that was said to be filed with the Federal Communications Commission to end all religious television broadcasting.

Of course, the petition is a fraud and O'Hair was allegedly murdered several

years ago. Yet the petition legend lives on and many Christians to this day believe it is their sacred duty to sign and distribute copies of the fakery.

The problem is, most of the O'Hair petitioners who have approached this editor over the years have otherwise exhibited an almost complete disregard for the ministries of their churches. It is as if they feel their involvement in the petition drive somehow fulfills all their obligations as a Christian and discharges them from any other responsibilities.

Let's not be that way this time around.

YES, I SEE WHAT YOU SAID. LORD. IS THAT YOUR FINAL ANSWER?

Participating in a football game prayer, while laudable, does not free us from our other prayer responsibilities and Christian obligations.

Don't wait for an invitation to participate in your church's prayer ministry. Just do it, and do it now. If your church doesn't have a prayer ministry, talk with your pastor about starting one.

Prayer is one of the most powerful weapons God has given us in our battle against the evil one and his many minions in our midst. Public or private, let's treat it with the respect it deserves.

GUEST OPINION:

To forgive 'unqualifiedly'

By Malcolm Yarnell, assistant professor Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth

The authority to forgive sins is not something that we generate in and of ourselves. True eternal forgiveness is available only from God, because sin is ultimately against God alone. As

God, Jesus possessed the power to forgive sins. As man, he took all human sin upon himself and atoned for it with the shedding of his blood. Jesus generates forgiveness; our ability to forgive is



PRAYING FOR PEACE — Members of the Wedgwood Church gather early in the morning to pray for Sunday services. The group is praying over a spot where students were killed on Sept. 15, 1999. (BP photo by Jim Veneman)

based on shared authority. We may forgive only because Christ delegates this authority.

As Christians, we carry the keys which retain and release from sin; we partake in the authority of forgiveness generated by the power of Christ in the cross and resurrection (John 20:23).

Finally, biblical forgiveness is not singular. Although we cannot forgive by our own power and authority, we can forgive the sins of others.

We can forgive the sins they have committed against us, and we can show them the eternal forgiveness available in Jesus Christ.

Moreover, we are compelled to forgive. Martyrs are not the only ones who should forgive sins. The Lord's Prayer states, "And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors," and Jesus follows this by correlating our ability to forgive with our true state of divine forgiveness (Matthew 6:12, 14-15).

If we are Christians, we will forgive. We will simply, categorically, unqualifiedly forgive. It is not easy and it is not cheap.

No matter how difficult or long the road, we know that it is one that we must walk — and we should know that we do not need to walk it alone.

LifeWay trustees approve record budget

(BP)—Trustees LifeWay Christian Resources of the Southern Convention adopted a record operating bud-get for 2000-01, approved major capital expenditures reviewed plans for the first phase of building construction in revitalizing LifeWay's conference centers.

The operating budget of \$418,895,000 was approved during the Sept. 11-12 meeting, along with fixed assets expenditures of \$40,330,000. Ted Warren, chief

operating officer and agency's budget takes into account an expectation of

strong revenue growth.

Warren also reported to trustees that projected revenue for the agency's 1999-2000 fis-cal year ending Sept. 30, is \$372,184,000, exceeding the budget of \$362,668,000 by \$9.5 million or 2.6%. The increase is 11.6% above the previous year's revenue. Funds provided from operations, money for reinvestment in ministry expansion after all expenses have been paid, are expected to be 3.3%, compared to a budgeted 2.9%.

In addition to financial accountability, Warren urged trustees to "hold us accountable for having a right heart, one that loves the Lord and cares about people; for our minds, experts at what we do; and for our spirit. If you don't experience the Holy Spirit when you are with us, you need to hold up your hand and

Major fixed assets expendi-



RIDGECREST HOTEL - Plans were announced for step one of construction at executive vice presi- Ridgecrest to begin during fiscal 2001 and 2002 for a 120-room hotel, conference space dent, told trustees the for 1,200 persons and 100 additional parking spaces.

tures include funding of new information software systems to enable LifeWay Christian Stores to more effectively serve customers; furnishings for a renovated area of the Nashville complex; and the first year of construction on a hotel and facility conference Ridgecrest, N.C.

They also authorized additional funding for the Nashville facilities master plan, designed to meet space needs through 2015. It includes funds to relocate and equip a new undated distribution center in Lebanon, Tenn., completed earlier this year; construction of a parking garage, cafeteria, circulation corridor, and new main entrance for the Nashville campus; remodeling and equipping former distribution space for office use; and remodeling existing office space in three buildings.

In reporting on the first building project in a 15-year revitalization plan for

LifeWay's national conference centers at Glorieta (N.M.) and Ridgecrest (N.C.). T. Michael Arrington, vice president of LifeWay's corporate affairs division, said the goal is "to spiritually transform lives in increasing numbers" and to lead the centers "to become the premier Christian conference centers in America."

Calling the first construction of guest housing in 27 years at either location "historic," Arrington told trustees LifeWay will ultimately construct more new guest accommodations, conference and meeting space; update existing facilities; enhance service and ministry; implement best practices in operations; and plan and market spiritually transforming conferences and events.

August, LifeWay announced a centralized organization with top leadership based in Nashville as the first major step in total revitalization of the two conference centers. Under the new structure, the centers will be operated as one organization with facilities at two locations.

Comprehensive sales and marketing plans have been developed, Arrington said, and master facilities plans are progressing.

Step one of construction at Ridge-crest will begin with an investment of \$8.5 million during fiscal 2001 and 2002, for a 120-room hotel, conference space for 1,200 persons, and 100 additional parking spaces.

Hotel rooms typically will feature two queen-size beds and private baths.

Conference space include classamphitheater, rooms, and a large assembly room with seating for approxi-mately 900 persons or banquet seating for 560 persons.

Arrington said the revitalization, to be done incrementally and

alternating between the Glorieta and Ridgecrest locations, "will be an asset to LifeWay, but more importantly to the lives of those who use them."



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In other reports:

 Ken Stephens, president of the Broadman & Holman division, reported that 3.8 million Bibles and 3.4 million trade books had been published dur-ing the 1999-2000 year. He said the Holman Christian

Standard Bible (HCSB) New Testament will be released in early 2001, as well as copies of the HCSB Here's Hope New Testament, an inexpensive version, without notes, designed to be used in evangelistic efforts.

 Mark Scott, president of the LifeWay Christian Stores division, attributed "a magnificent year" to a successful com-bination of "bricks and mortar stores, direct marketing, and e**PUBLISHED SINCE 1877**

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Outreach applauded

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (BP) - Southern Baptists deserve praise for their outreach to Jews and stance for biblical truth, the executive director of Jews for Jesus said Sept. 12 at Southern Seminary. David Brickner, head of the international organization, made his comments while preaching at Alumni Chapel. The organization's mission statement is to "make the Messiahship of Jesus an unavoidable issue to our Jewish people worldwide."

"I recognize that this pulpit represents a commitment to the proclamation of the gospel to my Jewish people at some expense," Brickner said. "I want to commend the Southern Baptist Convention for that strong stance and commitment—perhaps like no other evangelical denomination. You have stood through the storm of controversy to declare that the gospel is the greatest gift that my people — the Jewish people — could ever receive." Brickner said his own family is an example of fruitful Jewish evangelism. The Brickners were orthodox Jews living in Mobile, Ala., but a neighboring Christian family witnessed to and prayed for the Brickners. Christians must

witnessed to and prayed for the Brickners. Christians must stand firm when conducting Jewish evangelism and be ready for criticism, Brickner said. He pointed out that some criticism will come from within the evangelical community.

"Jewish evangelism does indeed put the church on the cutting edge of this issue. The very uniqueness of Christ is called into question and challenged by my Jewish people, who will say in dialogue with Christian leaders, 'Why can't you just respect us? Don't you recognize that we have a covenant with God through Abraham and Moses that is just as valid for us as for you?" he said. and Moses that is just as valid for us as for you?"he said.

A total of 118 teams participate in the 1990 Baptist Softball Championship Tournament, with First Church, Glendale, and First Church, Amory, taking the top trophies in the men's division while Wellman Church, Bogue Chitto, and First Church, Batesville, sweep the women's division.

Six members of Mantee Church, Mantee, answer a plea from the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board for work crews to help complete the restoration work on Ruedelille Church in Paris. Built in 1874, the church now houses French, Chinese, and Romanian congregations.

All-time attendance records are broken as Forest Hill Church, Jackson, moves into the new sanctuary part of a building program that includes an expansive balcony and 48 new Sunday School rooms. Seventeen new Christians are baptized on the evening the baptistry is unveiled.

Christian broadcasters feted at conference

The 2000 Witnessing Through Media Conference at Ridgecrest Church in Madison attracted 90 participants representing 25 churches involved in radio and television ministries.

Conference topics included creative production techniques, getting started in

media, and sound systems.

The annual conference also included an awards banquet during which the best in Mississippi-based Christian radio and television production for the previous year are recognized by Mississippi Baptists in Broadcasting (MBIB).



Little, Sykes, Padgett, Kulcke

Winners in the television catego-ry were (below photo, from left):

• Division Two Best Television Program: Community Service: Little of Channel 10 in Jackson, for Something of Interest '99.

• Division One

Best Television Program: Missions/ Evangelism: Paul Sykes Temple Church, Hattiesburg, for The Lord Bless You.

Temple Church also won two other awards: Division One Best Television Program: Christmas Musicals, for Celebration 1999; and Best First Time Entry: Television, for Easter Celebration 1999.

 Division Two Best Television Program: Missions/Evangelism: John Padgett of First Church, Hattiesburg, for FBC Vision 2000. • Division Two Best Television Program:

Church Musicals: Larry Kulcke of Colonial Heights Church, Jackson, for Behold His Glory.

Faith and Genesse

MBIB awards were (left photo, from left) Best First Entry: Time Baptist music evangelist Mona Faith of Canton, for Faith for Living Mona Faith — Program 30. • Best Radio

Winners of the

Spot: Jim Genesse, minister of evangelism at Christ United Methodist Church, Jackson, for Velma and Thelma.

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Media Conference and MBIB are sponsored by the Department of Broadcast Services at the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board (MBCB), and are funded through the Mississippi Cooperative Program.

For more information, contact Farrell Blankenship, director, Broadcast Services, Mississippi Baptist Convention Board P.O. Box 530, Jackson, MS 39205-0530. Telephone; (601) 292-3378 or toll-free outside Jackson (800) 748-1651, ext. 378. Email: fblankenship@mbcb.org.

Computer ministry to missionaries gains support

Vermont's civil unions spur voters

WASHINGTON (BP)-Vermont's controversial civil unions bill - a measure that gives homosexual couples almost all of the same rights and benefits as married couples — brought large numbers of Vermonters to the polls Sept. 12 for the state's primaries.

However, inconclusive results have analysts looking to the November election as a final test of the measure.

Opponents defeated four House members and one senator who had voted for civil unions but failed to defeat five others, including House Judiciary Chairman Tom Little, a Republican and the main author of the civil union law.

Voter turnout Sept. 12 was up from 20% in recent primaries to near 30%. About 69% of the votes were cast in the Republican primary, which included a lot of crossover votes of Democrats and independents.

Intense voter interest and effective grassroots campaigning brought a large number of new voters to the polls, and observers say the number of absentee ballots this year could be double the usual seven percent.

Opponents posted "Take Back Vermont" signs throughout the state in the weeks leading up to the primaries.

ORLANDO, Fla. (BP) -Walter Tripp, manager of Missionary Computer Fellowship (MCF), recalls hearing used computer equipment. someone describe the organiza-tion as "the most widely known rinky dink ministry in

the world."

While he laughs about the "rinky dink" part and questions the "most widely known" distinction, Tripp acknowledges MCF has helped thousands of missionaries by providing inexpensive or free com-

puters, software, and training.
The Orlando-based MCF supports a staff of 25 people who spend much of their time upgrading or refurbishing computers for missionaries.

First Presbyterian Church of Orlando, which Tripp said "has been very good to us in an interdenominational sense," gave a major boost to the ministry when it offered free office space to build the computers.

The community soon rallied behind MCF as its impact on missions grew.

The ministry originally was established to offer computer training for missionaries, recounted Tripp, a member of Parkway Orlando, but its capabilities have expanded with its reputation.

Initially the intent was to rebuild the computers for resale to companies as a means of financing the ministry. But that quickly evolved into updating used computers for sale to missionaries as well, and has now become a major focus of the ministry.

Missionaries - including retired missionaries, missionary children, and students training to be missionaries receive a 75% discount on most

MCF gives away outdated computer models such as IBM's 286, 386, and 486.

Missionaries also can obtain brand-new computers, with the

requirement they pay for the wholesale cost of parts.

Of the 5,000 missionaries aided by MCF, hundreds have sent notes and letters expressing their gratitude for the computers.

A missionary in Nigeria wrote, "I really lack words to express my appreciation for the way you have continued to bless the work in Nigeria with all of the computers."

Diane R. Fox, who serves in Africa, wrote, "Thank you again for your gracious gift of seven computers for Guinea. I know that those who receive them will greatly appreciate what you have done ..

Tripp said most missionaries use computers to stay in touch with relatives and friends through e-mail. Others use Printmaster to make cards for church members and the online Bible search program for teach-

ing materials.

Betty Lou Mills, a missionary to Bosnia and Croatia, said, "MCF got me started on com-puters. They made it possible on a missionary salary to get a computer."

Presently, MCF's greatest need is for workers and for older computers, Tripp said. The ministry has several pending requests from Russia, Trinidad, and Nigeria for computers. Tripp also needs workers to service Macintosh computers and to edit videos for missionaries.

"Every year we almost drown in the numbers of people who need help," Tripp said. "The thing I'd like to do is to help more people, and to do that we need more workers."

For information about receiving computer training, giving and receiving computer equipment, or working with Missionary Computer Fellowship, call (407) 422-9265.

LifeWayonline offers free Internet kit

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BP) — A free resource kit with materials for churches to plan and conduct an Internet safety seminar is available from LifeWayonline in conjunction with Children's Internet Safety Month.

LifeWayonline is the filtered Internet service of LifeWay Christian Resources of the Southern

Baptist Convention.

The Internet Safety Program includes a seminar, videos, safety guides, a step-by-step man-

LifeWayonline protects Internet users by filtering out more than 20 categories of offensive material including pornography, alcohol and drug use, gambling, weapons and bomb making, violence, hate/discrimination, profane language, and selected chat sites.

A Ministry Discount Program is available to churches and their local, regional, or state cooperative ministry organizations schools; childcare and other Christian ministries administered by those organizations; Christian seminaries, full-time paid staff and faculty of a qualifying organization; and full-time active and furloughed

missionaries of a qualifying organization.

Through this program subscribers pay \$15.95 a month for the service.

Ministry Discount Program accounts can be opened at www.info.lifewayonline.com (see Ministry Tools) or by calling (888) 454-5965.

Other Internet safety-related resources from LifeWay include Web Wise, a discipleship resource through which children in first through sixth grades can be a second Internet at church and take work sheets to use with their parents at the computer at home. Children are introduced to rules of Internet etiquette as part of Web Wise.

Broadman & Holman, LifeWay's trade book publishing arm, has released Going Online @ Home. The book is a practical guide for families on how to get the most out of an online experience and includes a free CD for LifeWayonline.

The free resource kit is available by calling toll free (888) 408-5580 or by e-mail at pointclickprotect@lwol.com.



Report on global religious liberty released

WASHINGTON (BP) - The State Department's second report on global religious liberty presents a challenge for the U.S. government to act against persecution, the chairman of a federal commission said.

The report, which was prepared by the Office of International Religious Freedom

(IRF), provides information on the degree of religious freedom in 194 countries.

In addition to a section on each country, the report includes an executive summary that divides problem governments into five categories of restrictive practices: totalitarian attempts to control religion; hostility toward minority or unapproved religions; neglect of discrimination against or persecution of religious groups; discriminatory policies toward some religions; and stigmatization of some religions by associating them with cults.

In the totalitarian section, the report lists Afghanistan, Burma, China, Cuba, Laos, North Korea, and Vietnam. Governments practicing hostility toward minority religions are Iran, Iraq, Pakistan, Saudi Árabia, Serbia, Sudan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan, according to the report.

The document names Egypt, India, Indonesia, and Nigeria as states failing to act to prevent discrimination or persecution by non-governmental groups. Governments with discriminatory policies include Bulgaria, Israel, Jordan, Malaysia, Romania,

Russia, and Turkey, according to the report.
The report lists Austria, Belgium, the
Czech Republic, France, and Germany as

countries guilty of stigmatization of certain religious groups.

The report names Azerbaijan and Laos as countries making significant improve-ments that hopefully represent the "first step in a more systematic change."

Elliott Abrams, chairman of the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom (CIRF), praised the office for "another masterful job," but said, "The real question is, What will the administration and Congress do with [the facts]?

The record during the almost two years since passage of the International Religious Freedom Act in 1998 leaves much to be desired. While many fine words have been spoken, little action has followed."

The commission, which was established by IRFA's enactment, is disappointed in the Clinton administration's policy toward some of the regimes it designated as "coun-tries of particular concern" after last year's religious freedom report, Abrams said.

In the cases of Sudan and China, the sanctions it identified are grossly inade-quate and ineffective," Abrams said in a written statement.

The militant Islamic regime in Sudan continues to carry out a campaign of murder, enslavement and displacement against Christians, animists and other Muslims in the southern part of the country.

China persecutes Christians, Tibetan Buddhists and other religious groups out of favor with the world's largest communist state. About 200 members of Protestant

house churches were arrested in three Chinese provinces in August, according to news reports.

Companies participating in the Sudanese oil industry continue to have access to capital markets in the United States, and the Khartoum government remains in control of most of the food provided as aid by international groups, Abrams said.

The White House, meanwhile, still promotes the approval of permanent normal trade relations for China, "without requiring any improvements in that government's egregious and deteriorating record on religious freedom," he said. The U.S. Senate began debating

Permanent Normal Trade Relations (PNTR) for China the same day as the State Department's report was released. A vote is exected by the end of the week of Sept. 12.

The House of Representatives approved PNTR for China with a 237-197 vote in May.

When the Commission on International Religious Freedom released its first report in early May, it recommended the United States not grant PNTR to Beijing until it made swift, measurable improvements in regard to religious freedom.

Another CIRF member criticized aspects of the report from the State Department. The report "soft-peddles religious genocide in Sudan and religious violence in Egypt, most likely in deference to the Middle East peace process," said Nina Shea, director of Freedom House's Center for Religious Freedom.

Yancey tapped as new CAC consultant

Lee Yancey, 32, associate pastor of students and activitie at First Church, Meridian, has been selected as the new con-sultant for the Christian Action Commission (CAC) of the Mississippi Baptist Convention, effective October 1.

CAC commissioners, meeting September 12 at the B a p t i s t

Building in Jackson, approved executive director i m m y Porter's recommendation that Yancey be hired

replace Elizabeth K. Holmes, who currently serves as preschool and children's minister at Parkway Church, Clinton.

"Lee's education, experience, and expertise in youth ministry will allow the commission to concentrate more on the moral, social, and ethical issues relative to our youth. Lee is a very capable communicator and will be available to speak on special issues, lead seminars, and preach as needed.

"I am excited about serving with such a quality young man as we face the future challenges that will confront Mississippi Baptists," said Porter.

Yancey holds a master of divinity degree from New Orleans Seminary ('93) and a bachelor of arts degree from Mississippi College

Clinton ('91). In addition to his four-anda-half year tenure at First Church, Meridian, he has served as associate pastor of youth at First Church, Conyers, Ga. (1994-96); minister of youth at Metarie Church, Metarie, La. ((1993-94); and interim minister of youth at First Church, Pascagoula.

Yancey has been married for nearly eight years to Courtney Fagan Yancey, and they have two children. He is the son of Rex and Ellon Yancey of Pascagoula.

Rex Yancey is pastor of First Church, Pascagoula, and a former two-term president of the Mississippi Baptist Convention.

How to LIVE LONGER AND BETTER

Recently I picked up a magazine for senior adults and turned to an article entitled, "How to Live Longer and Better." I suppose all of us in America want to live longer and there are very few people who don't desire to live better. There were some astounding statistics in the article related to people living 100 years or more in America. In the 1990 census there were around 40,000 Americans that were 100 years old or older. Of that group, 28,000 of them were women. In 1995, halfway through the decade, the number of people 100 years or older had nearly doubled. The estimates now are upwards of 100,000 Americans who are 100 years old or older. Americans are living longer, and no doubt some of them are liv-

I still remember the first person that I ever met who was 100



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Jim Futral, executive director-treasurer Mississippi Baptist Convention Board

years old. He was a member of my church and I visited him in the hospital. I had only pastored that church for a few weeks and was very excited about going to meet and visit with this 100 year old man. When I arrived, I found him sitting on the side of the bed and he was as alert as any six year old on the first day of school. After meeting him and visiting for a while, I asked him to share with me his secret to living to be 100 years old. He said, "I have never married. I have never, ever tasted alcohol. And, I have never, not once, used tobacco!" I thought to myself that I didn't smoke or drink, but I was married, so therefore

there went one third of my life! The article that I had read was written by Victor Parchain. It gave ten ways, or guidelines, for living longer and better. Let me share them with you:

· Eat healthfully. Proverbs 23:2 says that if your appetite is out of control, you need to learn to restrain yourself from eating. What a word for most of us as Americans! Billions of dollars are spent every year on pills and programs trying to restrain our appetites. It defi-nitely is no easy thing, yet there is a spiritual discipline that allows us not to overeat and to eat properly and wisely those

things that are good for us. Long before there was Weight Watchers, God was watching over us and was concerned about our eating habits.

 Shed some tears. It is an interesting thought that you can live longer by crying. In fact, when we cry there are hormones released in us, and feelings expressed by us, that have a cleansing effect on the body

Reduce meat consummation. More and more we are discovering that it is a medical and nutritional fact that eating less meat increases our life

 Practice optimism. Just simply determine to stay positive. Find the good things! Walk on the sunny side of the street! Life on the positive side out Proverbs 17:22.

 Lend a helping hand. If you want to live longer, and especially if you want to live better, go out of your way to find some opportunity to help somebody. There is a helping, healing power in doing good for folks.

· Tap into your faith. One study shows that church attenders consistently have lower blood pressure than those who don't attend church. Now, I recognize that there are some churches that will run your pressure up instead of down, but as a general rule, there is something wonderful, serene, and calming about a faith experience.

· Close the faith behavior gap in your life. If you want to build stress and tension in your life, pretend to be one thing and live another. Make sure that the faith you experience in your hearts bleeds into your hands.

 Know your family medical history. Know who your parents and grandparents were. Know what they faced in life and what kind of diseases they had. This tells a lot about

what you may possibly face.

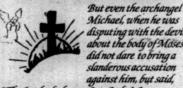
• Get physical. Physical activity is essential for living. God made us to move! It doesn't have to be overly robust, but get up and do something walk, go somewhere, exercise, do something!

 Keep learning new skills. Do not stop growing mentally and intellectually. Involve yourself in good, healthy, growing experiences. Don't stop reading, attaining, and experiencing new things.

No doubt these ten things can help you to live longer and better, and though it is good to live good for a long time, it is even better to live abundantly. That is what our Lord Jesus promised to give us life, and life more abundant. Regardless of what you eat or how you exercise, nothing is as important as knowing that you know the life-giver himself — Jesus Christ. You need to know him, as he wants to know you.

If you really want to live and live long, like for eternity then receive him as Lord and Savior right now.

Michael's Watch



disputing with the devil about the body of Moses, did not dare to bring a "The Lord rebuke you." - Jude 1:9 Michael's Watch is a support

group whose sole purpose and mission is to offer emotional, mental, and spiritual support for those whose lives have been affected by family members or loved ones involved in the harmonic purpose and mission is to offer emotional, mental, and spiritual support for those whose lives have been affected by family members or love to the first purpose and mission is to offer emotional, mental, and spiritual support for those whose lives have been affected by family members or love to the first purpose and mission is to offer emotional, mental, and spiritual support for those whose lives have been affected by family members or loved the first purpose and mission is to offer emotional. the homosexual lifestyle

Michael's Watch Group meets the 2nd and 4th Sunday each month at First Baptist Church in Louisville, Mississippi from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m. Additional information may be

obtained by calling First Baptist Church in Louisville, Mississippi at (662) 773-6246.

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GAs of Carterville Church, Petal

Carterville Church, Petal, held its GA and RA recognition service on Aug. 20. Pictured are some of the boys and girls who participated in these activities. GA director was Rose Rainey. RA director was Mike Tischer.

A Prayer Breakfast for Crusade 2000 will be held at 8 a.m. on Sept. 23 at The Homochitto, Bude. Ministers may call Webb Armstrong, president of Crusade 2000, at (601) 384-2035 to make reservations.



RAs of Carterville Church, Petal

The Greatest Events in History drama revival 2000 will be presented at Derma Church, Derma, Sept. 30-Oct. 2 with Jim McNiel as Bible characters. Included in the events are The Birth of Christ as told by Matthew, 6:30 p.m., Sept. 30; The Sermon on the Mount as told by Jesus, 11 a.m., Oct. 1; The Cross and Resurrection as told by John, 6:30 p.m., Oct. 1; and The Second Coming of Christ as told by Paul, 7 p.m., Oct. 2. Chris Aldridge is pastor.

Parkway Church, Attala Association, will celebrate its 40th anniversary on Oct. 1. Activities include worship service at 11 a.m., covered-dish lunch at noon, and afternoon singing following lunch. Joe Pate is pastor. For more information call the church at (662) 289-1222.

Cason Church, Monroe Association, will start a second morning worship service at 8:30 a.m. on Oct. 1. Sammy B. McMillen is pastor.

recognition service theme. Girls receiving awards for com-pleting Missions Quest projects were (front row) Corrie Vitalis, Ellie Childers, Alison Wing, Maggie Gloria Long, Flamenco; (back row) Meghan West, Jordan Simmons, Lindsey Gable, and Stephanie Munn. Leaders are Carol Gillespie and Littie Long. David Hamilton is pastor.



Acteens of West Heights Church, Pontotoc



RAs of First Church, Chicora, sponsored a canned food drive at the church and through their efforts 200 cans of food were donated to the Salvation Army. David Roberson is pastor. Pictured with the RAs is Greta Daily, manager of the Salvation Army in Waynesboro.

2000 JANUARY BIBLE STUDY PREVIEW CLINICS

THE BOOK OF JAMES

Harold Bryson is Professor of Christian Studies and Director of Institute for Christian Leadership at Mississippi College.



Monday, Sept. 25

Blue Mountain College, Blue Mountain

Tuesday, Sept. 26 BSU Center, Delta State, Cleveland

Wednesday, Sept. 27 Baptist Building, **Jackson**

Thursday, Sept. 28 William Carey College, Hattiesburg

TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Complimentary Lunch No reservations required

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT MARK LOTT, CONSULTANT SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, MISSISSIPPI BAPTIST CONVENTION BOARD (800) 748-1651 EXT. 292, OR (601) 292-3292.

Terry's Creek, Magnolia, to host concert

The Providentials will be singing at Terry's Creek Church, Magnolia, on Sept. 24 at 7 p.m. Kent Newell is pastor.

Pews, pulpits, baptistries, stained glass, carpet, Van Winkle steeples, lighting, folding doors, Church theater seats. **Furnishings & Pew Upholstery**

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Why pray?

Because prayer is the greatest avenue of hope you have!

Steve and Sharon Ford, mission-aries to Portugal, ask us to pray that they will be able to find a place for their group to meet and form a mission church. Pray specifically for a unique situation that exists in Portugal. When a religious group meets, permis-sion must be obtained from all the residents of the building.

For (1) Cooperative Program Month during October (Stewardship Emphasis) (2) On Mission: To Share the Gospel Sunday (Evangelism Emphasis) (3) Missionary Jackie Meeks ask prayer for four men in Taichung Taiwan, whom she has shared the gospel with, but who have not yet received Christ.

For (1) Discipleship Rally in each association (D&FM) (2) Church Related Vocations Banquet; William Carey College (CAPM) (3) Winter Bible Study Preview Clinic; Blue Mountain College (SS) (3) Reconciliation — Celebrate Jesus 2000; Hattiesburg (SID).

For (1) Baptist Building STAFF PLANNING WEEK (2) Pray for the Talysh (TAL-ish) people in Azerbaijan who identify themselves as followers of a world religion, that a means to access them might be found. Ask God to move in the hearts of these people.

For (1) Winter Bible Study Preview Clinic; Cleveland (SS) (2) Please pray today for Prime Minister Paavo Lipponen of Finland. (3) Pray for adequate rain for Mossi villagers in Burkina Faso, as this is crucial for their basic livelihood.

Pray for the cell groups meeting in North Valencia, Venezuela. Missionaries Ron Adams and Beth Russell are training lay leaders and pastors as they lead cell groups. God is sending a harvest of souls at the Trigal Baptist Church. Pray for the pastor as he disciples these new believers.

For (1) Winter Bible Study
Preview Clinic; Baptist Building
(SS) (2) Kenny Moore, Arvada,
Colo., church planter strategist
for the Denver Baptist Assn., says
they need at least six Hispanic
church planters. (3) Pray for
someone to work with the Tai
Lue people group who come
from China, near Laos.

The members of the Netherlands Refugee Team ask you to pray for a Bible study/church plant in a nearby city. A key refugee leader of this group was trans-ferred to another city recently. Pray for God to call out new leaders and provide a new place for this group to meet For (1) Winter Bible Study
Preview Clinic; William Carey
College (SS) (2) September is the
month in which Chile celebrates
its Independence Day.
Missionaries serving in central
Chile ask you to pray that God
will show them how to best use
the two weeks of celebration to
witness to non-Christians.

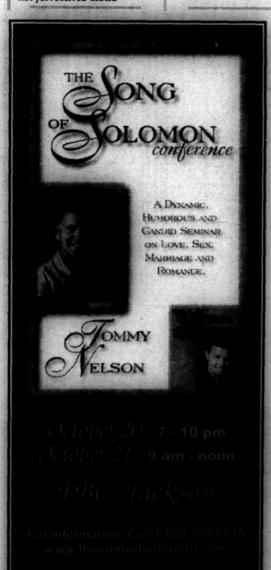
In August, a prayerwalking team from Mississippi focused on the Bisa town of Bagre, Burkina Faso. Bagre, rich in agricultural possibilities, is a strategic area into which many Bisa are currently relocating. Pray that the light of Christ will shine in the hearts of people.

For (1) Toward a Growing Marriage; FBC, Gulfport (D&FM) (2) African-American Church Leadership Institute; Gautier (SID) (3) Missionary Parents Fellowship; Camp Garaywa

For (1) Church Related Vocations Banquet; Blue Mountain College (CAPM) (2) Women's Retreat "Beyond Belief" Prayer Celebration; Gulfshore Assembly (WMU).

For (1) Mississippi missionaries' bi-annual meeting; Camp Garaywa (2) Bruce Conley is the church planter pastoring the Northwinds Community Church. Pray for the need of a keyboard player for their band. There is also a need for a volunteer plumber and electrician to help with their new facility.

More than a million people in Africa die each year of malaria, including 3,000 children under age five, simply because they do not have access to health care.



Lay Missions Conference

Monday, October 30 FBC, Brandon



Missions Banquet Keynote Speaker **Harry Lewis**

Director of Strategic Planning Section, NAMB

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TOTAL 221,777.45 222,416.09 444,193.54 LAMAR AUTUMN RIDGE 300.00 1,010.00 1,310.00 BAXTERVILLE 1,835.31 1,148.81 2,984.12 BELLEVUE 8,810.25 4,622.85 13,443.10	EAST MT ZION 3,508.64 2,886.46 6,395.10 EUCLATUBBA 3,001.42 986.89 3,988.31 FBC BALDWYN 47,814.64 7,760.41 55,575.05 FBC GUNTOWN 2,938.96 1,529.39 4,468.35 FBC NETTLETON 11,662.45 4,528.00 16,190.45 FBC PLANTERSVILLE 9,901.02 6,695.91 16,596.93 EBC SALTITIO 2,737.203 13,857.04 16,596.93	MCDOWELL ROAD 11,655.47 7,728.20 19,383.67 MIDWAY 10,213.49 5,231.00 15,444.49 MORRISON HEIGHTS130,708.17 88,438.55 219,146.72 NEW HAVEN 425.97 242.98 668.95 NORTHMINSTER 1,012.00 32,772.00 33,784.00 NORTHSIDE 1,404.92 14,697.46 16,102.38 NORTHSIDE 1,404.92 14,697.46 16,102.38 14,000.95	NESHOBA 6,621.48 8,242.70 14,864.18 NEW BETHEL 3,518.58 3,832.45 7,351.03 NEW BLACK JACK 420.19 420.19 840.38 NEW HARMONY 268.00 1,403.00 1,671.00 NEW PLEASANTDALE 180.00 420.00 600.00 NORTH CALVARY 2,826.45 2,913.22 5,739.67 OAK GROVE 775.90 1,178.00 1,953.90 OLD PEARL VALLEY 3,026.07 6,091.43 9,117.50 PINE GROVE 4,181.00 1,621.00 15,802.00 SALEM 1,121.00 1,368.00 2,489.00 SAND HILL 368.90 367.50 7,459.00 SARDIS 966.82 -2,521.67 3,488.49 SPRING CREEK 6,760.83 7,999.52 14,760.35 TRINITY 2,525.17 4,926.80 7,451.97
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EIGHTH AVENUE 2,436.07 5,023.18 7,459.25 FBC COLLINSVILLE 52,685.85 26,794.22 79,480.07 FBC LAUDERDALE 10,871.93 3,452.69 14,324.62 FBC MARION 13,222.65 8,912.31 22,134.96 FBC MERIDIAN 23,891.21 56,316.14 80,207.35 FBC MERIDIAN 24,891.24 56	LEFLORE CALVARY 7,471.44 5,509.05 12,980.49 CHRIST 4,145.36 4,910.56 9,055.92 FBC GREENWOOD 29,424.18 22,505.15 51,929.33 FBC IITA BENA 10,121.00 5,737.17 15,858.17 FBC MINTER CITY 1,188.00 700.00 1,888.00 MMANUEL 7,475.03 4,994.90 12,469.93 MORGAN CITY 00 4,233.14 4,233.14 MT VERNON 5,388 1,196.59 10,117.90 11,250.44 NL GREENWOOD 34,997.87 10,117.90 4,113.66	MID-DELTA BENOIT 3,361.61 3,017.83 6,379.44 BETHANY 102.55 418.55 521.10 BETHEL 595.00 595.00 1,190.00 BLAINE 300.00 800.00 1,100.00 CALVARY 7,499.60 6,428.87 13,928.47 CHINESE 00 600.00 600.00 DREW 8,914.02 2,583.21 11,497.23 DUNCAN 450.00 228.20 678.20	CONEHATTA 3,918.53 3,468.76 7,387.29 CROSS ROADS 26.41 263.41 526.82 DUFFEE 1,325.00 350.00 1,675.00 EMMANUEL 3,050.43 923.00 3,973.43 FBC NEWTON 51,208.77 33,306.04 84,514.81 FBC UNION 23,266.18 26,652.92 49,919.10 GOOD HOPE 545.00 367.00 912.00 HAZEL 5,945.14 3,900.00 9,845.14 HICKORY 27,405.60 16,946.81 44,352.41
FIFTEENTH AVE. 39,506.02 30,934.68 70,440.70 GOODWATER 1,369.27 1,476.00 2,845.27 HEBRON 15,637.72 17,619.39 33,257.11 HICKORY GROVE 630.00 853.55 1,483.55 HIGHLAND 61,756.00 41,567.70 103,323.70 LIBERTY 3,848.84 2,276.45 6,125.29 LONG CREEK 880.00 442.00 1,322.00 MACEDONIA 4,720.68 4,462.20 9,182.88 MIDWAY 48,984.71 23,892.47 72,877.18	RIVERSIDE 5,192.00 2,125.00 7,317.00 SCHLATER 900.00 1,600.00 2,500.00 SIDON 300.00 500.00 800.00 TOTAL 101,999.84 64,129.32 166,129.16	FAIRWOOD 6,562.95 8,009.67 14,572.62 FAIRWOOD 1,340.00 3,759.00 5,099.00 FBC BOYLE 4,940.81 8,725.68 13,666.49 FBC CLEVELAND 52,750.02 56,241.46 108,991.48 FBC INDIANOLA 20,990.56 21,163.21 42,153.77 FBC INVERNESS 2,325.00 2,000.00 4,325.00 FBC ROSEDALE 1,680.00 4,239.96 5,919.96 F BELLEVIEWSHELBY 900.00 5,650.00 6,550.00	HICKORY 27,405.60 16,946.81 44,352.41 HOPEWELL 4,713.08 3,738.76 8,451.84 LAWRENCE 535.55 289.90 825.45 LIBERTY 2,619.00 2,056.00 4,675.00 MIDWAY 2,690.00 1,257.00 3,947.00 MT NEBO 1,353.59 579.32 1,932.91 MT VERNON 5,316.94 4,902.12 10,219.06 NEW IRELAND 1,273.33 1,158.22 2,431.55 PINCKNEY 1,822.00 1,731.00 3,553.00 POPLAR SPRINGS 886.02 4,565.75 5,451.77
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OAKLAND HTS. 11,184.37 8,937.02 20,121.39 PINE FOREST 1,250.00 4,199.55 5,449.55 POPLAR SPGS. DR. 52,666.65 50,878.84 103,545.49 RUSSELL 9,565.00 19,587.83 29,152.83 SALEM 600.00 1,730.00 2,330.00 STATE BLVD 39,908.58 28,743.42 68,652.00 TOOMSUBA 4,125.08 2,597.63 6,722.71 TRINITY 593.35 198.31 791.66	CLEAR BRANCH 3,452.00 4,137.00 7,589.00 EAST LINCOLN 30.00 5.00 35.00 EAST HAVEN 52,168.21 23,980.53 76,148.74 FAIR RIVER 13,976.93 13,810.85 27,787.78 FBC BROOKHAVEN 61,418.88 106,623.29 168,042.17 FRIENDSHIP 9,960.00 7,646.00 17,606.00 GUM GROVE 6,253.36 5,876.55 12,129.91 HARMONY 1,320.50 3,048.35 4,368.85 HEUCKS RETREAT 5,205.00 10,167.00 15,372.00 HOLLY SPRINGS 1,500.00 194.00 1,694.00 LITTLE BAHALA 1,169.83 1,533.46 2,703.29	ROUNDAWAY 4,201.87 3,760.93 7,962.80 RULEVILLE 9,000.00 9,682.40 18,682.40 SEC'D INDIANOLA 2,846.96 2,908.50 5,755.46 SHAW 1,535.68 1,010.67 2,546.35 SKENE 15,079.05 9,287.11 24,366.16 SOUTHSIDE 1,957.58 1,392.35 3,349.93 SUNFLOWER 1,869.69 1,589.16 3,458.85 WEST DREW 1,560.73 1,268.25 2,828.98 YALE STREET 3,761.12 2,900.79 3,661.91	CALVARY CHAPEL 546.15 1,139.73 1,685.88 CASCILLA 150.31 4,228.32 4,378.63 CORINTH 860.53 2,341.29 3,201.82 CORNERSTONE 3,820.32 2,711.95 6,532.27 COWART 1,578.68 2,179.90 3,758.58 EMMANUEL 96,376.77 32,128.13 128,504.90 ENON 3,435.24 4,404.62 7,839.86 FAITH 50.503.87 1,223.40 1,727.27 FRC CHARLESTON 9,305.32 8,903.73 18,209.05
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NAMES IN THE NEWS



Deacon ordination service at Hernando Church, Hernando

Jason Tipton was ordained to the ministry at Hernando Church, Hernando, on June 25. Pictured (from left) are Charles Cook, James Spencer, Tipton, Bill Russell, and Charles Fowler.

Valley Park Church, Valley Park, on Aug. 6 recognized Addie Mae Holloway for 49



Holloway

years of perfect attendance in S u n d a y S c h o o l. Dennis Salley is pastor.

A deacon ordination service was

held at Adaton Church, Starkville, on Aug. 27. Pictured (from left) are Gary Burrell,

Sidney Prosser, Scott Cappleman, Paul Rogers, Kevin Adams, and Mark Phillips.



Deacon ordination service at Adaton Church, Starkville

Homecomings

First, Foxworth: Oct. 1; worship, 11 a.m.; covered dish lunch in fellowship hall at noon; Ladell Blanton, former pastor, guest speaker; James Walters, pastor.

Beulah, Lexington: Sept. 24; praise service, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; homecoming services, 11 a.m.; dinner on the grounds at noon; 1:30 p.m., afternoon singing; Joe K. Hill, Jackson, guest speaker; Proclamation, Kosciusko, guest musicians; D.L. Lawson, pastor.

First, Tutwiler (North Central): Sept. 24; Cornerstone Celebration with Sunday School at 10 a.m. and worship at 11 a.m.; Jean Thomas, music; special music by Sara McClure and Gina Pearson; Rose Hays, pianist; Rocky Henriques, former pastor, guest speaker; dinner in Everett Hall; following the noon meal the cornerstone (time capsule) will be opened and the memorabilia will be examined as was planned in 1951 when the church building had been completed. J. B. Hays, Jr., pastor.

First Pecan Grove, Ellisville: Sept. 24; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship 10:30 a.m.; dinner on the grounds after service; David Millikan, former pastor, guest speaker.

Damascus, Hazlehurst: Sept. 24; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.; Jim Landrum, speaker; Becky Haley, music.

Hebron (Panola): Sept. 24; service, 10:30 a.m.; dinner on the grounds at noon; 1:30 p.m., afternoon singing; Phillip Caples, speaker; Larry Smith, pastor.

Friendship, Aberdeen: Sept. 24; 11 a.m.; covered dish meal at noon; Jim Harrington, Amory, preaching; Charlie Ransier, Baldwyn, music; Todd Bowen, pastor.

Belden, Belden: Sept. 24; services, 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. followed by fellowship lunch, and 7 p.m.; Donald Baggett, pastor.

Tillatoba (Yalobusha): Sept. 24; services will start at 10:30 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; lunch at noon; Rick Glidewell, former pastor, message; Cecil Sutley, former pastor (1946-48), will share memories of the early years; Harvey Vance, pastor.

First Faith, Batesville (Coles Point area): Oct. 1; 11 a.m., old fashioned worship service; Derrick Simmons, pastor, speaking; pot luck dinner and gospel singing.

Moselle Memorial, Moselle: Oct. 8; 10 a.m., singing and message followed by a covered dish lunch; Arlie Spalding, former pastor, preaching; singing by New Life.

Northside, New Albany: Oct. 8; services, 9:45 a.m.; visiting preachers are W. L. Oaks, Johnny Rakestraw, and Mike Reeves; afternoon gospel singing with Promise Land and a note burning; Terry Rodgers, pastor.

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1. Lord, I admit that I need you. (I have sinned.)

2. I want forgiveness for my sins and freedom from eternal death.

(I repent.)

3. I believe Jesus died and rose from the grave to forgive my sins and to restore my relationship with you.

(I believe in Jesus.)

By faith, I invite Jesus Christ into my life. From this time on, I want to live in a loving relationship with him.
 (I receive Christ as my Savior and Lord.)

But as many as received him, to them he gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in his name (John 1:12).

If you make a decision for Jesus Christ today, contact a local Baptist church for spiritual guidance.

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Crusade 2000

September 24 – 27 at 6:30 p.m. Franklin High School Football Stadium Meadville, Miss.

Sunday

"Old Time Gospel Night" Music from The Bibletones of Gulfport, Mississippi

Tuesday

"God and Country"

Music by Marty Rayborn,
former member of
Shenandoah

Evangelist: James E. Messer Cypress Shores Baptist Church, Mobile. Alabama

Worship Leader: Phillip Wills

Monday

"Music and the Master"
Music by the Veal Brothers
Testimony by Rick Stanley,
Elvis Presley's step-brother

Wednesday

"Youth Night"
Pizza Blast and
testimony by Barrin Simpson.

Children's Ministry

featuring
Ventriloquist Lee Pitts
provided each night in
Franklin High School Gym
for ages 6-12

Nursery provided at Meadville Baptist Church for ages 0-5 years. For more information about this event contact

Webb Armstrong at (601) 384-2035

Sandi Patty concerts postponed

The Sandi Patty concerts cheduled for September 21 and 22 at North Greenwood Church, Greenwood, have been postponed to November 16 and 17. For more information, contact the church at (662) 453-2801.

Mississippian King selected by NAMB

ALPHARETTA, GA — The North American Mission Board

(NAMB appointed Louann King to serve as a US/C-2 missionary in Las Vegas, The Nev. US/C-2 program provides college gradu-



King

ates under the age of 30 with opportunities to serve for two years in North American missions. For her term of service, King is working as a strategic focus cities missionary and serves with Loving Las Vegas. NAMB has identified Las Vegas as a strategic focus city for 2001.

King is a native of rookhaven. She is a graduate of Delta State University in Cleveland. She has served as a paralegal in several law firms in Jackson. Her home church is Easthaven Church in Brookhaven.

Miroslav Loncar, professor of music and artist in residence at William Carey College (WCC), received a grant from the Music Teachers National Association to do post-doctoral study in guitar in San Francisco, Calif. Loncar spent five days with Dusan Bogdanovic, one of the leading guitar composers in the world The sessions centered around improvisation and interpretation. Loncar also conducted a series of guitar classes in his home country of Croatia recently. The first program was held in the city of Karlovac. Sponsored by the

Karlovac School of Music and the Karlovac City Hall, this was the first school of its kind held there. The second program was held in the remote city of Imotski. Loncar offers guitar workshops throughout the year on the WCC Hattiesburg campus. For more information call (601) 582-6175.

William Carey College (WCC) Theatre's first major production of the 2000-2001 season will be the premier of "And David Danced." An original pro-duction written by WCC theatre graduate Jonathan Pope Evans,

the play explores the little known but very deadly Huntington's Disease, an incurable condition that infects many families around the world. Performances are at 8 p.m. on Oct. 5-7. Seats for performances, which will be

held in the O. L. Quave Theatre on WCC's Hattiesburg campus, may be reserved by calling (601) 582-6221. The box office will be open from 1 until 4 p.m. beginning Oct. 2. Regular admission is \$8. Cost for students is \$5.

County Line Church, Attala Association, has called James Burrell as pastor effective Sept. 10. A native of Sallis, Burrell was licensed on Feb. 6 and will be ordained by Sallis Church, Attala Association, on Oct. 8.

Williamsburg Collins, has called Ryan Smith as youth minister effective Sept. 3. Smith is currently enrolled at William Carey College. He previously served as an intern at Highland Church, Laurel.



ANNUITY BOARD

THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

An open letter to church leaders

As you may know, during the past 18 months the cost of health care nationally has increased more rapidly than ever before. The entire health care insurance industry has indicated that these costs will not decline anytime soon. Information is being mailed to your church this month about upcoming rate increases in the Annuity Board's medical insurance programs. On average there will be double-digit increases in both the Personal Security Program and the Employer Security Program effective January 1, 2001.

In the past 20 semi-annual rate periods, Annuity Board participants in the Personal Security Program have experienced only eight semi-annual rate increases. In many of the semi-annual rate periods when rate increases were due, the Annuity Board used premium reserves to defray the rate increases in order to keep our insurance products affordable. The subsidy provided by the insurance reserves has averaged as much as \$106 per month per participant. Available resources do not permit further subsidizing of premiums. The Annuity Board receives no money from the Southern Baptist Convention to offset the cost of the insurance programs and the assets of the Board belong to retirement participants.

Regretfully, high utilization and rising medical and prescription drug expenses make it necessary to reflect these cost increases to our participants. We would prefer not to raise rates and are diligently working to find ways

We are committed to continue providing a viable medical program for Southern Baptist ministers and to further contain costs. employees. While the national average for administrative costs for our type of program is 15%, we have restructured our administrative services so that our cost is only 12%. We have placed an emphasis on preventive care by adding selected wellness benefits for men and women in most of the medical plans. We have expanded the Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) coverage area through Private Health Care Systems (PHCS) and made discounted services available to 30% more of our constituency. We have provided the ability for new seminary graduates to enroll in life and health programs without proof of insurability.

Even with increased costs, which are comparable to national averages, we still offer significant benefits not available in other programs. Ministers and staff have portability to take their health coverage with them as they move from one church to another and from state to state, and the assurance that their medical coverage will never be cancelled for excessive or high claims utilization.

It is our privilege to work with church leaders to provide life and health programs for those who serve. We believe it is important for churches to provide life and health coverage for ministers separate and apart from salary and housing. This should be a priority for the church as it ministers to its own ministers. As you work with your minister and staff to evaluate medical options this fall, please remember the significant benefits provided through the Annuity Board. Also, please pray for us as we continue to seek new and creative ways to meet the needs of those who serve the Lord.

O. S. Hawkins

- Chief Executive Officer President

PUT BEST IN PULPIT

This is in regard to S.C. McDaniel's letter concerning divorced ministers and deacons. To answer his question, it is a matter of putting your best Christian in the pulpit. I appreciate his obvious concern and mercy for divorced ministers. Unfortunately, Satan will use anything in a minister's past to discredit God's ministry in a community.

A divorced minister poses too many opportunities for Satan to prosper in a church. It is best to heed the Scriptures in this matter.

Ed Williamson Canon City, Co.

NO COMPROMISE NEEDED

Editor:

I was saddened to read the guest opinion on Sept. 7. The article promoted the idea that God used evolution as his method of creation and that evolution does not contradict the account of creation God gave us in Genesis. However, evolutionary theory goes far deeper than simply explaining how God created the universe; it is an attempt to explain the universe without God. It results in a worldview totally contradictory to what is revealed in Scripture, and it paves the way for a view of the Scriptures that rejects them as the sovereign word of God

and the ultimate authority for faith and life.

There is no need for us to make a compromise with evolutionary theory. If one begins with the assumption that the Bible is true as it is written, one can easily fit the available evidence into that framework. For example, we do not need evolution to explain how there are millions of dead creatures buried in tons of sedimentary rock all over the world. We only need to resort to the truth given in the Bible, that God destroyed the world with a global flood. I encourage anybody who is interested in this subject to research it from a creationist perspective. It will be an eyeopening experience that will

give you a much greater respect for God's power in his creation. Brandon R. Butler

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THANKS FOR DIRECTIONS

Editor:

Each week when I receive The Baptist Record, one of the first articles that I read is Directions by Dr. Jim Futral, executive director-treasurer of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board. His message each week always seems to be just what I needed for that particular time. Thanks to Dr. Jim Futral for the great article each week great article each week.

Edna Baker Roberts Moss Point

REVIVALS

First, Philadelphia: Sept. 24-27; Sun., 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Ken Rhodes, director of Pearl missions, River Association, evangelist; Dan Howard, pastor.

Puckett, Puckett: Sept. 24-27; Sunday, 11 a.m., covered dish lunch, and 6:45 p.m.; Mon.-Wed. 7 p.m.; Dan Watts, Durant, evangelist; John Nix, Collierville, Tenn., music; Grant McElveen, pastor.

New Home, Fulton: Sept. 24-27; Sunday, 6:30 p.m.;

Mon.-Wed., 7 p.m.; Tommy Winders, evangelist; Tommy and Diane Winders, music; Mike Bridges, pastor.

Mt. Vernon, Tupelo: Sept. 24-27; Sunday 6:30 p.m.; Mon.-Thurs., 7 p.m.; David Hamilton, evangelist; Randy Wood, music; Owen Riddick, pastor.

New Salem, Columbus: Sept. 24-27; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 7:30 p.m.; Scott Vaughn, evangelist; Bert Damron, music; John Sharp, pastor.

Grace Church, Philadelphia: Sept. 24-27; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 7 p.m.; Jimmy Porter, director, Christian Action Commission, evangelist; Steve and Becky Carver, One Way Ministries, music; Dennis Duvall, pastor.

Yockanooky, Kosciusko: Sept. 24-27; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 7 p.m.; Robby Johnson, Myrick, evan-gelist; Bobby Waggoner, director of missions, Attala Association, music; Leslie Wooten, pastor.

First Faith, Batesville (Coles Point area): Sept. 24-27; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 7 p.m.; Alan Kilgore, Batesville, evangelist; Harlin Fox, music; Derrick Simmons, pastor.

Strong Hope, Wesson: Oct. 1-4; Sunday, morning and afternoon services; Mon.-Wed., 7 p.m.; Mark Thompson, pastor of Fair River Church, evangelist.

Lighthouse, Richland: Oct. 1-5; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Mon.-Thurs., 7 p.m.; Clark Stewart, Crystal Springs, evangelist; Steve Walker, music; Sammy J. McDonald, pastor.

Steele, Forest: Oct. 1-4; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 7 p.m.; Don Taylor, Vangelist; Vic Coker, music; John Boggan, pastor.

Thomastown (Leake): Oct. 8-11; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Mon.-Wed., 6 p.m.; Bill Hardin, Picayune, evangelist; Mark Jones, Carthage, music; Jack Gregory, pastor.

Crooked Creek, Silver Creek: Oct. 8-13; Sunday, 10 a.m. followed by covered dish lunch, and 7 p.m.; Mon.-Fri., 7 p.m.; Dennis Dunn, Mobile, Ala., evangelist; Hubert Greer, Wesson, music; Robert Dunn, interim pastor.

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ABC tightens ad policy after federal report

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (BP)—The Walt Disney Company, sensitized to cultural issues by an ongoing boycott by various evangelical groups, has announced its ABC network will not accept R-rated movie commercials on any TV show airing before 9 p.m. Eastern time.

Disney's Sept. 12 announcement came a day after the release of a Federal Trade Commission report that, while not mentioning specific companies by name, cited "evidence of marketing and media plans [in the entertainment industry] that expressly target children under 17."

The Disney/ABC announcement primarily addresses "exceptions" to ABC's prior policy regarding commercials for Rrated movies, Disney spokesman John Dreyer told The New York Times. "From now on," he said, "there will be no exceptions"

The evangelical boycott of Disney, focusing on such issues as the company's funding of homosexual activist organiza-

tions and its subsidiaries' production of R-rated movies in sexual and violent content, was begun in 1995 by the American Family Association and joined in 1997 by the Southern Baptist Convention, the Assemblies of God, Focus on the Family, and other evangelical groups. The boycott is continuing.

The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) study of the marketing of violent movies, music, and video games to children was commissioned by President Clinton shortly after the massacre at Columbine High School in suburban Denver in April 1999.

Concerning the marketing of violent movies to children, the FTC report stated:

"Of the 44 movies rated R for violence the commission selected for its study, ... 35, or 80%, were targeted to children under 17. Marketing plans for 28 of those 44, or 64%, contained express statements that the film's target audience included children under 17. For example, one plan for a violent R-rated film stated, 'Our goal was to find the elusive teen target audience and make sure everyone between the ages of 12-18 was exposed to the film." The commission also cited another promotional plan for fliers and posters for an R-rated film to be distributed, at least in the Kansas City area, to organizations such as the Campfire Boys and Girls.

Concerning violent video games, the FTC stated: "Of the 118 electronic games with a Mature rating for violence the commission selected for its study, 83, or 70%, targeted children under 17. The marketing plans for 60 of these, or 51%, expressly included children under 17 in their target audience. For example, one plan for a game rated Mature for its violent content described its 'target audience' as 'Males 12-17 — Primary; Males 18-34 — Secondary.' ... Most of the plans that targeted an under-17 audience set age 12 as the younger end of the spectrum, but a few plans for violent Mature-rated games targeted children as young as six."

FAMILY BIBLE STUDY

How does God save us?
Isaiah 43:1-28

By Heather Cumberland

While reading the Sunday School lesson for this Sunday and trying to decide what to write, I came to a conclusion. There is no possible way that I can examine these verses and convey to you the importance of every verse in this chapter. Isaiah 43 is so full of awesome truths that apply to everyday life, that it must be thoroughly read and studied on a personal and individual level.

and individual level.

Having said that, I would like to highlight some verses that strongly encourage and speak to my own heart. First of

all, I am amazed at the fact that God promises each of us that he will never leave us, and

that when we go through difficult times, he is always with us (vv. 1-3a).

God does not tell us that we will never be harmed physically or that we will not be put through trials. In fact, verse two says "when we walk through the fire, we will not be scorched." The word "when" in this verse indicates that we will go through difficult times. God never tells us that we will not have to walk through the fire, he simply promises us that he



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One of the many things that I am thankful for is that God has called us by name and that we are his (v 1). Think

will be there to carry us

through it.

are his (v. 1). Think about this for a minute. When someone remembers my name after only one meeting or after a

long span of time between meetings, it means a lot.

We are more likely to answer to our name than to "Hey mister!" or "Hey lady!" This is because when someone calls us by name, it is more personal and meaningful. How much more meaningful is it that God calls you by name? With everything going on in this world, God still calls you by name.

A second point in this passage that speaks to me personally is that we are not to call to mind former things or ponder things of the past (v. 18)

things of the past (v. 18). We have all made mistakes in our past. If we have truly asked God's forgiveness for these things, then we must forget them and look to a new and brighter future.

One of Satan's most used tools on Christians is guilt. As a teenager, it took me a while, but I finally learned that guilt is not of God. God is about looking ahead and not regretting what is behind.

If you are holding on to a past mistake in your life, know that God wants you to let go of it so that he can forgive you and help you move on with your life. God cannot effectively work in your life and you cannot effectively minister to others as long as you are allowing Satan to have a hold on you by making you feeling guilty.

When Satan is attacking me with memories of past mistakes I write down what they are and read over what I have written. If I do not feel as though I have asked for forgiveness and totally repented from this sin, I pray and ask God for forgiveness. I then tear up the sheet of paper and throw it away. If I have already repented of this sin, I thank God that he has already forgiven me of this sin and I throw the paper away.

throw the paper away.

When God forgives our sins, he wipes out our transgressions (v. 25). He remembers them no more. He looks at them and then throws them away.

How wonderful is that!? In this world where is seems that holding a grudge is normal, we have a God who can truly forgive and forget.

Cumberland is advertising coordinator for The Baptist Record.

EXPLORE THE BIBLE

Helping people
Acts 3:1-12

By Wayne VanHorn

In Unit 1 we focused on getting started in the Lord's service. Preparation, power, and participation were aspects of our discussion. Today we focus on ministering.

To minister means to help people. As Christian ministers we help people in order to share God's love and the hope we have in Christ Jesus. According to Acts 2:47 the Lord was adding to the Church on a daily basis. An undisclosed amount of time had passed between Pentecost and the healing story that forms the background for today's lesson.

Seeing a Person (vv. 1-4). Luke shows Peter and John going to prayer together. Several places in the Luke-Acts materials these two are found together (Luke 8:51; 9:28; 22:8; Acts 3:1, 3-4, 11; 4:13, 19; 8:14; et al.)

As Peter and John entered the Temple court at the three o'clock prayer time (9th hour reckoned from 6 a.m.), a disabled man asked them for alms. We know from Acts 3:2 and 4:22 that the man had been handicapped all of his forty years. He suffered from a lack of strength in his feet and ankles (v. 7) rendering him incapable of walking. He was reduced to a life of begging for the small amounts of loose change that benevolent worshipers would share with him.

Since alms giving was viewed as a virtue, the Temple precinct afforded the beggar the best opportunity to receive help. We do not know the exact location of the "Beautiful Gate,"

but it was a major entrance way to the Temple grounds where the people went to pray. The intent of verse 4 is to show that Peter and John saw the man in his need even though they were on their way to prayer. True ministry begins with genuinely seeing people in their need.

Helping a person (vv. 5-7). The disabled man responded to Peter's command with an expectant look. Peter offered something far greater than alms. Rather than silver or gold, great alms under other circumstances, Peter offered freedom from beggary. The man's healing was a gift from God offered in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth.

In sharp contrast to today's so-called miracles, no money exchanged hands nor did the disabled man have to give money to the apostles as a demonstration of his faith in order to receive the miracle. The miracle was a gift from God in Jesus' name. Peter assisted the

man physically by seizing his right hand and lifting him up. God strengthened the man's feet and ankles (v. 7) permitting him to stand, walk, and leap.

Watching the results (vv. 8-10). Being healed, he rapidly sprang to his feet and began to walk around. For the first time in his life he could stand on his own two feet. No more begging; no more having to be carried by others to and fro. He walked, he leaped, and he praised God.

He praised God for two things: first, he had been healed (see Isaiah 35:6); second, he could now enter the Temple court with other Jewish men to pray. The other worshipers noticed him (v. 9). His flamboyant behavior, understandable under the circumstances, called attention to him.

The people took careful notice that this man was indeed the incapacitated beggar who for so many years had sat pathetically at the Temple gate. Their response to the site of this liberated man was wonder and amazement. "Wonder" renders a Greek term roughly meaning "to be frozen in astonishment."

"Amazement" derives from the same word from which we get the English term "ecstasy" and literally means "to be outside of or beside oneself."

These people could see the once disabled man now walking, leaping, and praising God, but they could not believe their eyes. They knew for sure it was he (v. 10) but they could not understand how it was possible.

Giving Credit to Jesus (vv. 8-12). God's gift of healing stirred an urgent curiosity in the minds of people. Peter seized the opportunity to tell them about Jesus (3:11-26). Acts 4:1 indicates that John was speaking to the people also. Their preaching about Jesus resulted in their arrest.

As they stood before the Jewish court the following day, the Holy Spirit empowered them to give all the credit for healing to Jesus and to use the opportunity to proclaim Jesus as the exclusive Savior of humankind. Apart from him no one can be saved (4:12).

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Habitat head pleads for more Baptist workers

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (ABP) Habitat for Humanity founder Millard Fuller wishes more Baptists would get involved in the Christian organization that helps people get out of substandard housing.

While both Fuller and Habitat's most famous volunteer, former President Jimmy Carter, are Baptists, most are not.

"Habitat needs Baptists," Fuller said in an interview during a 101-home building blitz in Jacksonville, Fla. "We want a stronger Christian influence at the center of what we do."

Fuller said maintaining a religious focus in the organi-

zation is "not by accident." He noted that "the four top people with Habitat are Baptists," referring to himself; his wife, Linda; and Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter. All are members of Maranatha Church in Plains, Ga.

While evangelistic groups like Southern Baptists that emphasize personal faith in Christ often relegate so-called social ministries like Habitat to secondary status, "People are coming to know Christ through this ministry," Fuller asserted.

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Draper: LifeWay 'stands tall with others'

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BP) — "LifeWay will always stand tallest when we stand with others, sometimes leading, sometimes supporting, but always cooperating for the sake of the Kingdom," James T. Draper, Jr., president of LifeWay

Christian Resources of the Southern Baptist Convention, told the agency's trustees during their semi-annual meeting, Sept. 11-12. "If there is a distinctive

of Southern Baptists that sets us apart from other Baptists and evangelical Christians, I believe it is cooperation," Draper observed. "We do what we do together, by choice.

"One of the best-kept secrets in the Southern Baptist Convention is that LifeWay receives no Cooperative Program funds," he continued. "Instead, we contribute to ministries at every level of the denomination. This is part of our stewardship of influence."

Draper said the purpose money for LifeWay. The pur- Abernathy) pose is more money for Great Commission ministry

"In our partnerships with state conventions, for 1999-2000, we are contributing \$3.1 million to their ministries," he said. "We provided \$250,000 for student work in newer convention areas. We are investing \$450,000 for Strategic Focus Cities. Over a three-year period, our contributions to

Southern Baptist Convention support will approach \$800,000 annually."

In what he called "a whirlwind tour," Draper cited locations in the United States and abroad in which LifeWay partnerships



GREAT COMMISSION MINISTRY — James T. Draper, Jr., President of method for the march. for excellent management of LifeWay Christian Resources enjoys a light moment of interaction with resources "is not more trustees at the Southern Baptist agency in Nashville. (BP photo by Morris concert featuring two popu-

are producing results for Great Commission ministry:

· He began with Phoenix, Ariz., where LifeWay has supported a metro association growth strategy, Vacation Bible School (VBS), with an investment of more than \$37,000.

"We provided materials free of charge to churches that did not have VBS in 1999 and

materials for anticipated enrollment growth to churches that had a VBS last year," he said. "With only 81% of participating churches reporting, enrollment among these Phoenix churches already has

increased by 1,454 or 26%, and the number of professions of faith has more than doubled, from 156 last year

 In Venezuela, LifeWay was involved in August, for the second straight year, in the annual Evangelistic March sponsored by the Venezuela

Baptist Convention.
"Two of our international field consultants and the author of the LifeWay 'Share resource Jesus Without Fear,' Bill Fay, participated this year in the training seminar," Draper reported. Share Jesus Without Fear, available in panish and produced by the Multicultural Leadership Department, has been adopted as the official evangelistic

• In Greensboro, N.C., a lar Christian music groups recently was scheduled for 9

p.m. to midnight on the parking lot of the LifeWay Christian Store. Due to rain, it was moved inside the store where it drew 200-

300 young people.

"During the concert, the lead singer from one of the groups preached and gave an invitation," he reported. "Seven people accepted Christ at the front of our store.

Thomas Nelson pulling plug on Shamblin book

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BP) — A weight-loss program that has been criticized for its controversial health practices now is drawing fire for the questionable theological views of its leader, whose publisher has shelved plans for her next book.

Christians had earlier found fault with the Weigh Down Diet because it places no restrictions on what types of foods participants may eat. Apologists and church leaders are now asking whether founder Gwen Shamblin holds heretical views of the Trinity, based on her Weigh Down Web site.

Her 1997 book The Weigh Down Diet has sold more than 1 million copies.

The controversy intensified after Shamblin posted a weekly e-mail communique to her followers on Aug. 10. "As a ministry, we believe in God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit," Shamblin wrote. "However, the Bible does not use the word "trinity and our feeling is that the word 'trinity' implies equality in leadership, or shared Lordship. It is clear that the scriptures teach that Jesus is the Son of God and that God sends the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit does not send God any-where. God is clearly the Head."

Since then, Shamblin has been removed from the Women of Faith Web site, several influ-ential evangelical churches have dropped her program,

and some key employees have left. On Wednesday, Thomas Nelson canceled publication of Shamblin's new book, Out of Egypt, scheduled to ship to bookstores in late September.

"Gwen has touched the lives of untold thousands of people," Michael S. Hyatt of Thomas Nelson told Christianity Today. "We had the joy of publishing Rise Above and seeing it appear on the bestseller list. However, because of the recent controversy created by her doctrinal position we do not feel that we can go forward with this project."



In response to the recent LifeAnswers column on the Harry Potter book series, a reader writes:

You made some very true statements of a practical nature but missed a great chance to pro-mote good biblical parenting. For instance, parental involvement is essential in all phases of a child's life; that was good advice. However, no vivilcal references were given in the answer. It would have been great to quote Eph. 5:11, "Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them." Parents should have been encouraged to show their children that they should "avoid every kind of evil. (1 Thess. 5:22).

"Bewitched" did seem like a very innocent show. However, you can see how shows like that have led into the production of Buffy the Vampire Slayer, Charmed, and Sabrina the Teenage Witch. That is the way Satan works. He encourages us to move away from God a little at a time. He uses a slippery slope to

his advantage.

You are right — we are to help uaraing of our chilaren's minds, but we can do so only by looking to Scripture as our guide.

I wholeheartedly agree with all your statements. The world is a slippery slope. The purpose in my answer was not to tell readers what they should do but to

encourage them to seek God in their answer. Your references are Scripture excellent, and reminders for parents to use in talking with young people about good and evil. I usual-ly include Scripture references in my responses.

I do feel though that "Bewitched" does not have to lead to "Vampire Slayer," by parents being observant of the slope, "of being as wise as serpents and gentle as doves" (Matt. 10:16). We have to walk alongside our children and talk about what is real and what is fiction. Granting Satan a foothold is accomplished when we do nothing to help our children.

Send your counseling questions to LifeAnswers c/o The Baptist Record, P.O. Box 530, Jackson, MS 39205-0530. Please be brief. Name is not required. In central Mississippi, Ron Mumbower can be heard from 9-10 a.m. each Wednesday on WHJT-FM 93.5. Remember: in time of crisis, your pastor can make recommendations on your counseling needs.